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## **AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office action mailed June 7, 2001, for which the due date for response has been extended by the attached Petition for Two-Month Extension of Time to expire on November 7, 2001, please enter the following amendment and consider the remarks in connection with the above-identified pending patent application.